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In re application of
Lars Aksel Thingelstad

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For: CARTON STERILIZATION METHOD AND APPARATUS

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

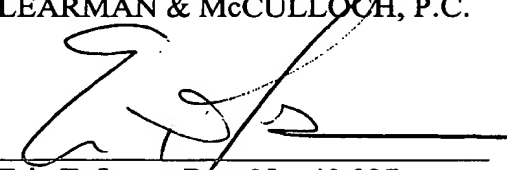
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, enclosed is a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the applicant. Also enclosed is our check No. 5123 in the amount of \$130.00 for the late filing fee.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or credit any overpayment in connection with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 50-0852. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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